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AND COMPUTER-READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM

**LETTER TO THE EXAMINER SUBMITTING**  
**CORRECTED DRAWINGS**

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In accordance with the requirement in the Notice of Allowability mailed November 25, 2005, wherein the Examiner required that corrected drawings be filed, in response to the Examiner corrected drawing requirement, Applicants herewith submit one replacement sheet of corrected drawings for FIG. 36. FIG. 36 is amended to be labeled as "PRIOR ART."

The Issue Fee has not been paid and is being paid concurrently herewith. Therefore, this response is timely filed on February 23, 2006 prior to the reply period for the Notice of Allowability set to expire on February 27, 2006. Entry and approval of the corrected drawings is respectfully requested.

It is respectfully requested that the corrected drawings filed herewith be entered in the above-referenced application.

Respectfully submitted,  
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